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NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF STATUS AS SMALL ENTITY (37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2))

- 1. Applicant asserted small entity status on the applications listed on Attachment A, on the dates listed on Attachment A, by payment of the basic filing fee as a small entity (37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c)(3)).
- 2. Applicant hereby notifies the Office, in accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2), that it no longer has status as a small entity.

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009351/0189 Recorded 7/21/98 009874/0023 Recorded 4/2/99	Erik J. Wagner		5259-00500USP1	6053921	4/25/2000	Granted	5/26/1998	09/085186
008985/0594 Recorded 2/9/98	Erik J. Wagner	Surgical Cable System and Method	5259-00500USO1	5964769	10/12/1999	Granted	8/26/1997	08/919127
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009422/0983 Recorded 8/24/98	Erik J. Wagner	Multi-Adjustable-Height Fusion Device	5259-00200USP2	6706070	3/16/2004	Granted	4/30/1998	09/070116
009442/0848 Recorded 8/31/98	Erik J. Wagner	Multi-Adjustable-Height Fusion Cage	5259-00200USP1	6641614	11/4/2003	Granted	3/24/1998	09/046759
008756/0146 Recorded 10/14/97	Stephen Houchschuler	Adjustable Height Fusion Device	5259-00200USO1	6045579	4/4/2000	Granted	5/1/1997	08/847172
009603/0209 Recorded 11/23/98	Stephen Houchschuler	Adjustable Height Fusion Device	5259-00200USD1	6080193	6/27/2000	Granted	9/15/1998	09/153178
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014210/0603 Recorded 6/26/03	Erik J. Wagner	Method and Apparatus for Spinal Fixation	5259-00100USP2	5989250	11/23/1999	Granted	2/20/1998	09/026711
008802/0192 Recorded 12/31/97	1	Method and Apparatus for Spinal Fixation	5259-00100USP1	6595992	7722/2003	Granted	10/1/1997	08/942325
008359/0658 Recorded 1/21/97	Erik J. Wagner	Spinal Fixation System	5259-00100USO1	6416515	7/9/2002	Granted	10/24/1996	08/740123
008359/0658 Recorded 1/21/97; 008802/0192 Recorded 12/31/97; 014210/0603 Recorded 6/26/03	Erik J. Wagner	Method and Apparatus for Spinal Fixation	5259-00100USD2			Filed	11/4/1999	09/434324
008359/0658 Recorded 1/21/97	Erik J. Wagner	Spinal Fixation System	5259-00100USD1	6132430	10/17/2000	Granted	6/9/1998	09/093756
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10/036012	12/26/2001	Filed			5259-00600USC1	System and Method for Stabilizing the Human Spine with a Bone Plate	Erik J. Wagner	Erik J. Wagner 009450/0947 Recorded 9/11/98
09/089027	6/2/1998	Granted	9/24/2002	6454769	5259-00600USP1	System and Method for Stabilizing the Human Spine with a Bone Plate	Erik J. Wagner	Erik J. Wagner 009450/0947 Recorded 9/11/98
09/095290	6/10/1998	Granted	2/29/2000	6030389	5259-00600USP2	System and Method for Stabilizing the Human Spine with a Bone Plate	Erik J. Wagner	009450/0959 Recorded 9/11/98
08/896281	7/16/1997	Granted	7/27/1999	5928243	5259-00700USO1	Pedicle Probe and Depth Gage		008932/0159 Recorded 1/30/98
08/265005	6/23/1994	Granted	4/16/1996	5507211	5259-01000USO1	Releasable Socket	Erik J. Wagner	
09/159303	9/23/1998	Granted	11/14/2000	6146382	5259-01200USO1	Occipito-Cervical Stabilization System and Method	John R. Hurlbert	0096667/0352 Recorded 12/23/98
09/070323	4/30/1998	Granted	8/8/2000	6099527	5259-01300USO1	Bone Protector and Method	Stephen Houchschuler	009650/0211 Recorded 11/9/98
09/059162	4/13/1998	Granted	5/16/2000	6063089	5259-02100USC1	Side Mounted Polyaxial Pedicle Screw	Joseph P. Errico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
08/772407	12/23/1996	Granted	7/7/1998	5776135	5259-02100USO1	Side Mounted Polyaxial Pedicle Screw	Joseph P. Errico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
09/059108	4/13/1998	Granted	10/31/2000	6139548	5259-02200USC1	Sliding Shaft Variable Length Cross-Link Device for Use with Dual Rod Apparatus	Joseph P. Errico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
08/549977	10/30/1995	Granted	5/19/1998	5752955	5259-02200USO1	Sliding Shaft Variable Length Cross-Link Device for Use with Dual Rod Apparatus	Joseph P. Errico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
09/070234	4/30/1998	Granted	10/5/1999	5961518	5259-02300USC1	Polyaxial Pedicle Screw Having a Through Bar Clamp Locking Mechanism	Joseph P. Errico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98

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10/015206	11/19/2001	Filed			5259-03700USC1	System and Method for Stabilizing the Human Spine with a Bone Plate	Jim Freid	010732/0443 Recorded 4/20/00
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09/961758	9/24/2001	Granted	9/9/2003	6616671	5259-04000USC1	Instrument and Method for Implanting an Interbody Fusion Device	Michael E. Landry	010765/0303 Recorded 5/5/00
09/478923	1/6/2000	Granted	9/10/2002	6447512	5259-04000USO1	Instrument and Method for Implanting an Interbody Fusion Device	Michael E. Landry	010765/0303 Recorded 5/5/00
09/755183	1/5/2001	Granted	2/25/2003	6524312	5259-04000USP1	Instrument and Method for Implanting an Interbody Fusion Device	Michael E. Landry	012032/0293 Recorded 7/31/01 013006/0228 Recorded 5/23/02
10/387329	3/11/2003	Filed			5259-04500USO1	Instrumentation and Procedure for Implanting Spinal Implant Devices	Michael E. Landry	014380/0261 Recorded 8/11/03
10/387363	3/11/2003	Filed			5259-04500USO2	Instrumentation and Procedure for Implanting Spinal Implant Devices	Michael E. Landry	014403/0794 Recorded 8/13/03
10/387361	3/11/2003	Filed			5259-04500USO3	Sinal Implant Including a Compressible Connector	Michael E. Landry	014383/0746 Recorded 8/11/03
09/952209	9/12/2001	Granted	6/8/2004	6746449	5259-04600USO1	Spinal Rod Translation Instrument	Robert J. Jones	Robert J. Jones 012557/0740 Recorded 1/30/02
09/684628	10/6/2000	Filed			5259-04700USO1	Transverse Connector with Cam Activated Engagers	Grady G. McBride	011515/0894 Recorded 2/12/01
09/684218	10/6/2000	Filed			5259-04800USO1	Adjustable Transverse Connector	Grady G. McBride	011518/0637 Recorded 2/12/01
09/680756	10/6/2000	Filed			5259-04900USO1	Adjustable Transverse Connector with Cam Activated Engagers	Grady G. McBride	011593/0900 Recorded 3/15/01
10/337219	1/6/2003	Filed			5259-07800USO1	Surgical Implants for Use as Spinal Spacers	David J. Krueger	014157/0620 Recorded 6/6/03

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10/291245	11/8/2002	Filed			5259-08300USO1	Spinal Implant	Javier Garcia- Bengchoa	013796/0202 Recorded 2/24/03
10/291223	11/8/2002	Filed			5259-08300USO2	Instruments and Methods for Javier Garcia- Inserting a Spinal Implant Bengchoa	Javier Garcia- Bengchoa	013786/0320 Recorded 2/21/03
10/356391	1/31/2003	Filed			5259-09200USO1	Spinal Plate Extender System and Method	Jim Freid	014181/0907 Recorded 6/16/03
10/351283	1/23/2003	Filed			5259-09900USO1	Spinal Plate System for Stabilizing a Portion of a Spine	Jim Freid	014397/0674 Recorded 8/14/03
10/351288	1/24/2003	Filed			5259-09900USO2	Spinal Plate System for Stabilizing a Portion of a Spine	Jim Freid	014302/0118 Recorded 7/15/03
29/155057	2/1/2002	Filed			5259-10000USO1	Extension Plate	Jim Freid	012823/0549 Recorded 4/22/02
10/035052	12/28/2001	Granted	5/18/2004	6736850	5259-12300USO1	Pseudo Arthrosis Device	Reginald J. Davis	
10/331191	12/27/2002	Filed			5259-12300USP1	Pseudo Arthrosis Device	Reginald J. Davis	014164/0207 Recorded 6/12/03